

SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS

In the specification on page 1, please amend the first paragraph as follows:

PRIORITY INFORMATION

This application is a continuation-in-part of United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/259,168, filed September 27, 2002, which is a continuation-in-part of United States Patent Application Serial No. 09/935,204, filed August 22, 2001, now issued as United States Patent No. 6,679,243, which is a continuation-in-part of United States Patent Application Serial No. 09/399,573, filed September 20, 1999, now issued as United States Patent No. 6,286,498, which is a continuation-in-part of United States Patent Application Serial No. 08/832,852, filed April 4, 1997, now abandoned, all of which are incorporated herein by reference.